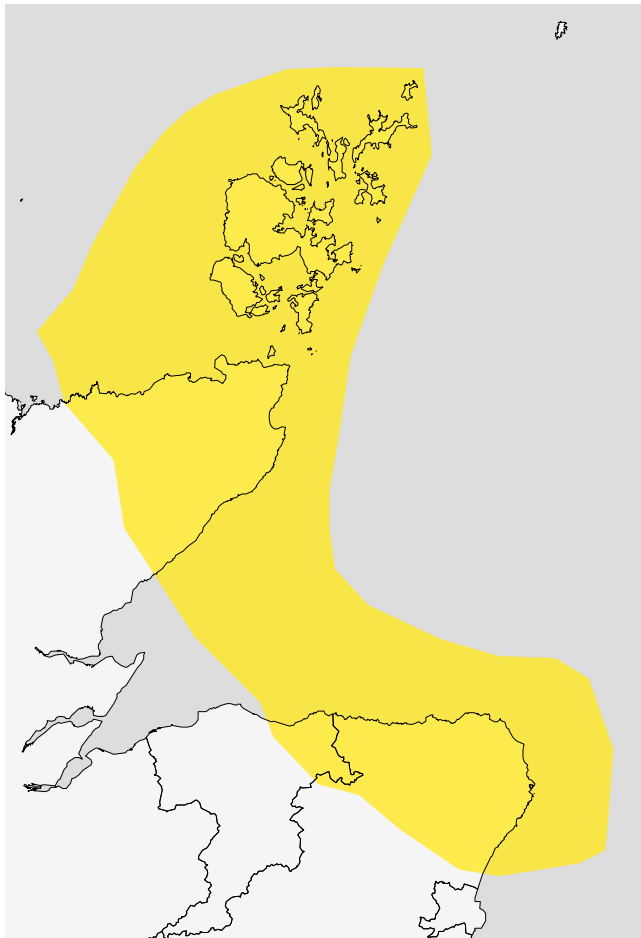


**Yellow warning
Rain**

Between
00:00 Thu 21 Jan 2021 and
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Heavy rain is expected to cause some travel disruption and possible flooding on Thursday and Friday morning.

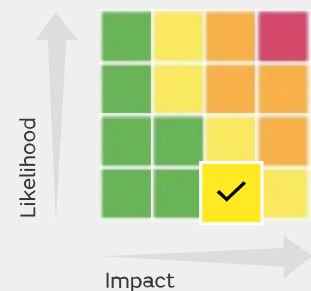
What to expect

- Flooding of a few homes and businesses is likely
- Bus and train services probably affected with journey times taking longer
- Spray and flooding could lead to difficult driving conditions and some road closures
- There is a small chance that some communities become cut off by flooded roads

Further details

Persistent, heavy rain associated with Storm Christoph is expected to affect the north and northeast of mainland Scotland as well as Orkney early on Thursday before slowly pulling away on Friday. This rain is expected to turn to snow further inland but in the warning area it will remain mostly as rain. 20-40 mm of rain is likely quite widely with perhaps as much as 50-70 mm across the far northeast of Aberdeenshire.

In addition, this rain will be accompanied by coastal gales on Thursday with gusts of 50 mph, perhaps 60 mph, along north-facing coasts posing an additional hazard.



 Very low likelihood of medium impacts

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